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*Advance News!*

# *Cedar Acres*

GLADIOLI  
and DAHLIAS

*"Bulbs That Bloom"*

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## DAHLIAS

The culture of Dahlias appeals to the Amateur Gardener, but the failures reported lead one to feel that there is a possibility all are trying to grow the huge Exhibition Dahlias, shown at fall exhibits.

While these may appeal to the general public, it is generally conceded that these dahlias are the exotic product of expert culture, a result not often attained by those who enjoy moderation in their gardens, without the expenditure of so much time and money in the production of blooms which when cut must be propped up by sticks or wires to be of use.

The Modern Dahlia has much to commend it to every garden, and the amateur may get a deal of satisfaction, even though they may not get the great size in blooms.

With the recent revival of interest in the Dahlia, attention has been called to some of the good old varieties, forgotten by the faddist. Varieties which will always respond to your culture with fine blooms, fine flowers on stems which need no support and which have vitality enough to stand up more than a day.

We list both the new and the old, for we need both in our gardens, but take notice of such varieties as Sylvia, Storm King, Oban, Mrs. Cassett, Clarabel, Maude Adams, Jack Rose, Edith and all the singles.

Notice also the list of Dainty Pompons, now in such demand.

Write for our complete Catalogue

Prices herein listed are not guaranteed to hold good after our Catalogue is issued.

## DAHLIAS CACTUS

	<i>Each</i>
<b>Attraction.</b> H. C. One of the most beautiful lavender Dahlias. Fine stem, hybrid type . . . . .	\$1.00
<b>Beloit.</b> Fine dark purple maroon . . . . .	.25
<b>Capston.</b> Very pleasing red, tinted apricot. Fine cut flower . . . . .	.20
<b>Clifford Bruton.</b> Large, brilliant yellow . . . . .	.20
<b>George Walters.</b> Hybrid. Immense blooms, old rose and amber . . . . .	.50
<b>Island Queen.</b> Lavender Mauve . . . . .	.25
<b>Kalif.</b> The largest red cactus . . . . .	.50
<b>Kremhilda.</b> An old variety of great charm for decoration. Dainty pink blooms, white center . . . . .	.25
<b>Libelle.</b> Deep glowing plum, with good stems . . . . .	.20

<b>Nibelungenhort.</b> H. C. A new sort of magnificent form and color. Broad petals, twisted and curled of a soft, cream yellow, suffused and tipped violet rose . . . . .	\$1.00
<b>Night.</b> Very dark maroon. Good stems . .	.20
<b>Pierrot.</b> Deep amber, each petal tipped white, or sometimes pure amber with tints of yellow . . . . .	.75
<b>Queen of Hearts.</b> Pure Glistening white, upstanding petals, with canary yellow at base . . . . .	.35

## DECORATIVE

<b>Black Prince.</b> Velvety maroon, fine stems	\$0.20
<b>Clarabel.</b> Glowing purple, red tints . . .	.20
<b>Copper.</b> Fine bronzy yellow, shaded darker. Large blooms . . . . .	.75
<b>Emily Renwick.</b> One of the finest dahlias. Iridescent. rose, perfect flowers on long stems . . . . .	2.50
<b>Hortelanus Fiet.</b> A great favorite. Beautiful full flowers of rich salmon, suffused amber and yellow . . . . .	.75
<b>Jack Rose.</b> Fine American Beauty red . .	.20
<b>Jean Kerr.</b> Pure white decorative of perfect form . . . . .	.75
<b>Masterpiece.</b> Autumn tints of yellow, with rose shadings . . . . .	.75
<b>Maud Adams.</b> White, tinted lavender. One of the best . . . . .	.35
<b>Morning Ray.</b> Charming combination of amber and rose. Fine for cutting . . . .	.20
<b>Mrs. Cassett.</b> Rose pink . . . . .	.20
<b>Mrs. Hartong.</b> Deep orange, tinted pink .	.20
<b>Mrs. Winters.</b> Large flowered, long stem, white . . . . .	.20
<b>Oban.</b> Mauve suffused amber. Fine stems	.20
<b>Progress.</b> Large, upright flowers of soft lavender . . . . .	.20
<b>Purity.</b> Very fine pure white, large flowers on good stems . . . . .	.50
<b>Princess Pat.</b> Iridescent old rose, with tints of yellow . . . . .	1.50

## SHOW DAHLIAS

<b>Dawn of Day.</b> Fawn, tinted pink . . . .	\$0.20
<b>Dreer's White.</b> The finest white show . .	.25
<b>Elsie Burgess.</b> Fine clear white, heavily overlaid amethyst . . . . .	.25
<b>Fascination.</b> Rose . . . . .	.20

<b>Purple Gem.</b>	Purple . . . . .	\$0.20
<b>Quaker Lady.</b>	Brown, tipped white . . . . .	.20
<b>Queen Victoria.</b>	Best yellow . . . . .	.20
<b>Storm King.</b>	Best white . . . . .	.20
<b>Stradella.</b>	Purple crimson . . . . .	.25

## LARGE SINGLE DAHLIAS

	<i>Each</i>
<b>Autumn Century.</b>	Buff yellow, bronze tintings . . . . .
	\$0.50
<b>Cream Century.</b>	Rich buff . . . . .
	.25
<b>Edith.</b>	Fine yellow . . . . .
	.25
<b>Evelyn Century.</b>	Cerise and white . . . . .
	.35
<b>Geisha Century.</b>	Nothing in singles equals this gorgeous dahlia for color combination. Brilliant yellow heavily suffused scarlet. Very decorative for cut flowers . . . . .
	.35
<b>Glowing Gem.</b>	Fine red . . . . .
	.25
<b>Gloxinia.</b>	Brilliant cerise, lighter at tips . . . . .
	.50
<b>Hiawatha.</b>	Very dark velvety maroon on fine stem. Very satisfactory single . . . . .
	.35
<b>John Cowan.</b>	Splendid deep red, purple tints . . . . .
	.20
<b>Queen Bess.</b>	Soft lilac rose, on long stiff stems . . . . .
	.20
<b>Rose Pink Century.</b>	Rose Mauve . . . . .
	.20
<b>Snow Flake.</b>	Best white . . . . .
	.25
<b>Twentieth Century.</b>	Rose, crimson tipped and striped white . . . . .
	.25
<b>Variegated Listz.</b>	Glowing oriental red, with gold tips and markings. A superb cut flower. . . . .
	.25
<b>Violette.</b>	Clear glowing purple crimson . . . . .
	.25

## POMPON DAHLIAS

<b>Amber Queen.</b>	Rich clear amber, apricot tints . . . . .	\$0.25
<b>Bobby.</b>	Plum . . . . .	.20
<b>Catherine.</b>	Yellow . . . . .	.20
<b>Clarissa.</b>	Primrose . . . . .	.20
<b>Elfin.</b>	Fine canary yellow . . . . .	.20
<b>Golden Eagle.</b>	Golden yellow . . . . .	.20
<b>Philip Friend.</b>	Corn Color . . . . .	.20
<b>Rosalie.</b>	Primrose, tipped pink . . . . .	.20
<b>Snow Clad.</b>	Best white . . . . .	.20
<b>Sweetheart.</b>	Delicate pink . . . . .	.20

All poms very useful as cut flowers.



# Cedar Acres

## GLADIOLI

### Large Flowering Type

- Albania.** (Kemp.) Pure silver white, with edge of petals faintly ruffled. Faint pink markings on tips of petals. An exceptional variety for every use. \$5.00 per dozen.
- Amethyst.** A remarkably strong, open flower of a deep amethyst color, slightly suffused rose. Beautiful for holding, as it holds its bloom well, with nearly all flowers open at one time. \$5.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Baron Josef Hulst.** One of the finest blue Gladioli. A deep violet blue with well-opened flowers. \$1.25 per dozen; \$8.00 per hundred.
- Blue Jay.** A light grayish blue with darker blue markings and having a red stripe on tongue of the lower petals—a distinctive variety. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- Byron L. Smith.** A magnificent flower of pale Hortense violet, cream throat. \$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per hundred.
- Charlemagne.** A French novelty, sunrise red, throat marked with creamy white, blazed plum. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- Conspicuous.** Beautiful gray blue, with darker throat markings and a fine penciling of yellow. Very attractive. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Crimson Glow.** (Betscher.) By far the most beautiful red Gladiolus yet on the market. A perfect scarlet of a deep tone. Very large, open flowers of the finest form and exceedingly well placed on the spike. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- \*Dawn.** (Tracy's.) The most beautiful coral pink Gladiolus ever offered. A long graceful spike of magnificently formed flowers, all open at one time. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- \*Daybreak.** A charming light pink, with blazed white throat. Magnificent orchid-like variety; dwarf habit. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- Evelyn Kirtland.** Charming rose pink blooms, very long stalk. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Flora.** One of the best yellows. Pale corn yellow with delicate lines on lower petals. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Harvard.** A perfect "Harvard" crimson in color. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Herada.** A novelty of true merit. An intense phlox color, shaded pure purple. A tall grower with large flowers, many open at one time. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Jacinthe.** One of the most valuable of the orchid-shaded Gladioli. A clear iris lavender. \$5.00 per dozen. \$40.00 per hundred.
- L'Immaculee.** A truly wonderful spike of pure white flowers, with wax-like texture and with great keeping qualities. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- \*Maize.** A valuable addition to the list of light-colored Gladioli. A soft, light corn-color, tinted rose, with slender tongue of fuchsia red on lower petals. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Mary Fennell.** One of the patricians of the garden. Beautiful light lavender flowers on a tall, slender spike, lower petals penciled with primrose yellow. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Mrs. A. C. Beale.** Clear buff yellow—with distinct tongue of scarlet on lower petals. Very long, graceful spike, with many blooms open at one time. \$3.00 per dozen; \$25.00 per hundred.
- Mrs. Beecher.** Deep rosy crimson, with white throat. Large flowers. 75 cents per dozen; \$6.00 per hundred.
- Mrs. Dr. Norton.** A pure, soft white, with tips of petals suffused La France pink. Quite the most beautiful variety of this type on the market. Highest awards in its class wherever shown. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15 per hundred.
- \*Mrs. Francis King.** (The original.) A most beautiful "Besnard shade" flame pink. Immense flowers on a spike growing four feet high, with from eighteen to twenty flowers, six to eight open at one time. A magnificent variety. 60 cents per dozen; \$4.00 per hundred.
- Mr James H. Lancashire.** A deep cream fading to a rose-tinted flesh color, with contrasting stripe of carmine on lower petals. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- \*Mrs. Watt.** Glowing American Beauty shade—self-color—well-opened flower. Nearly all flowers open at one time. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Mrs. Frederick Peters.** Beautiful shade of rose lilac, crimson blotch, bordered white on lower petals. Very choice. \$6.00 per dozen.
- Mystery.** A superb dark reddish purple, very graceful spike, and a great favorite. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- \*Niagara.** A light crocus yellow, throat shaded deeper. Large open flowers on a strong spike. For color, texture and keeping qualities this Gladiolus is one of the very best. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Nora.** Beautiful lavender blue, with darker spot on lower petals. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- \*Pink Perfection.** In color a true La France pink. Its soft coloring and magnificent bloom make it one of the choicest of the newer varieties. Large open flowers on a strong spike. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.

- Pink Wonder.** (Kemp.) The sensational new pink Gladiolus, in color a shade lighter than Panama, base of petals light corn yellow, feathered rose. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- Pride of Goshen.** A very large bloom of flesh pink with waved petals. A strong grower and strikingly beautiful. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Prince of India.** A dull old rose, suffused and streaked with purple, with wide open flowers, many open at one time. A unique and attractive variety, well worth trying. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- \*Prince of Wales.** A clear grenadine pink or deep buff, with throat markings of a deeper tone. The tips of petals shaded darker or apricot buff. A novelty of great value, eight or ten blooms open at one time on a long, graceful spike. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Purple Glory.** Dark velvety maroon, with touches of black on edges of petals. Very unusual. 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.
- Red Wing.** Glowing dark scarlet, solid self-color. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- Sulphur King.** A long spike of clear sulphur-yellow flowers. \$2.50 per dozen; \$20.00 per hundred.
- Sunrise.** This exquisite canary yellow Gladiolus is invaluable as a cut flower and for healing. Long spikes of dainty flowers, clear color with no marking. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Sunset.** A rich cream color, suffused with rose. Dark carmine, almost brown throat. Very unusual and strikingly beautiful. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- Velvet King.** Large open flowers of gorgeous scarlet, suffused rose. Very unusual and splendid for masses of color. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- War.** Deep blood red, shaded crimson-black, wide-open flowers. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- White Glory.** A very striking variety, tall and showy. Color a clear, solid white, with dark iris blue tongue on lower petals. In appearance it is like an iris. \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- White Wonder.** (Kemp.) A superb white with lily-like flower, having the same habit as the very popular variety Mrs. Francis King. Flowers pure white without markings. Splendid for forcing and a marvel for the Garden. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- Wine King.** Wine red, with purple tints and very dark throat. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Wistaria.** Pale lavender, suffused violet, with darker throat. One of the few good bluish lavender varieties. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- \*Yellow Prince.** A choice addition to the yellow Gladioli. A clear primard yellow with flowers well placed on a willowy stalk. Fine in combination with all lavenders. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- One of any of the named varieties at the dozen rate, divided by ten. 25 at the 100 rate.
- Single bulbs of any variety at dozen rate divided by 10.

## MIXTURES

- Amateur Mixture** includes all the best varieties selected from the collections of the best hybridizers and growers of both American and European countries. All varieties have been selected with a view of eliminating all colors which do not harmonize either in cut flowers or garden planting, giving a most interesting and satisfactory mixture to grow. \$5.00 per hundred; \$40.00 per thousand.
- Cedar Acres Mixture** contains an endless variety of color, striped, variegated, mottled, as well as a fine selection of clear colors, with beautiful throat markings. In fact, the variety is unlimited and is sold at the low price of \$3.00 per hundred; \$25.00 per thousand.
- Cedar Acres Seedlings.** These introductions have been awarded numerous gold and silver medals and Certificates of Merit, and to induce large plantings of these seedlings, we are offering blooming size bulbs at the extremely low price of \$2.00 per hundred; \$18.00 per thousand.
- Florists' Prize Mixture.** Whites, creams, light rose and delicate pinks, and a great many with beautifully marked or pencilled throats. A mixture of exclusive quality, \$3.00 per hundred; \$25.00 per thousand.
- No orders for these mixtures taken for less than twenty-five bulbs. Twenty-five at the hundred rate; 250 at the thousand rate.
- SPECIAL OFFERS**
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| America      | Light Pink |
| Cracker Jack | Dark Red   |
| Halley       | Salmon     |
| Independence | Rose       |
- Any of the above, 50 cents per dozen;  
\$3 00 per hundred.
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| Delice               | Soft Light Rose, Early               |
| Gil Blas             | Salmon, Darker Throat                |
| Golden King          | Yellow                               |
| Miss Helen Franklin  | White                                |
| Mrs. Frank Pendleton | Flesh, Suffused Pink, Carmine Blotch |
| Panama               | Rose                                 |
| Peace                | Large White                          |
| Ronge Torch          | Cream, Crimson Tongue on Lower Petal |
| Scarsdale            | Cerise Lavender                      |
| Schwaben             | Yellow                               |
| Wilbrink             | Flesh Pink                           |
- Any of the above for 75 cents per dozen;  
\$5.00 per hundred.
- Note that the above are unusual offers.

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## NAMED VARIETIES

### of Primulinus Hybrids

- Albia.** Very rich rose pink with lighter throat and delicate markings. \$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per hundred.
- Alice Tiplady.** The queen of the Primulinus type. A soft coppery bronze. In color, texture, and contour nothing surpasses this variety. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Altair.** Magnificent blooms of salmon saffron. One of the choicest. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Aloaka.** Rose with gold tints, glowing color, which deepens as blooms open. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- Angola.** Exquisite flowers of Salmon Pink on long stalk. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Anita.** Rich canary yellow with deeper throat. Many open flowers. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Copper King.** Unusual coloring. Copper tinted red. Large flowered of fine form on long stems. One of the best of the Hybrids. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen.
- Dexter.** Purest blush pink, tinted rose, throat cream yellow with no markings. One of the most popular. \$2.50 per dozen; \$18.00 per hundred.
- Elberton.** Deep cream yellow with darker throat. Large flowers and very rich coloring. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Gold Drop.** An extra large, pure deep yellow, with beautiful red line on petals. \$2.00 per dozen, \$15.00 per hundred.
- Jasper Rose.** Novelty. Most unusual shade of Jasper red tinted rose. \$3.00 per bulb.
- Linton.** Flowers of salmon rose, edge of petals deeper shade. Profusion of blooms and a joy in every garden. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Maidens Blush.** Enchantress pink flowers of finest form on stiff slender stalk. Quite the most beautiful pink variety. \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Midsummer Dream.** Splendid deep geranium rose flowers on a very graceful spike. Especially fine for home use. \$2.50 per dozen; \$20.00 per hundred.
- Primulinus.** A rare species from Victoria Falls, South Africa. Small flowers of a primrose yellow. Fine in the border with perennials. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Primunella.** Wide open butterfly blooms of softest rose pink with clear cream throat, no markings. One of the best. \$5.00 per dozen; \$40.00 per hundred.
- Roanoke.** Splendid rich yellow Primulinus Hybrid open flowers with crimson lines in throat. One of the best yellows of fine form. \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per hundred.
- Seneca.** Delicate pink, opal tints on yellow. \$2.00 per dozen; \$15.00 per hundred.
- Simplicity.** Soft creamy yellow, heavily suffused salmon. Beautiful for every purpose and one of the most charming varieties. \$2.00 per dozen. \$15.00 per hundred.
- Viking.** Nopal red, suffused rose. Dainty, pointed petals on delicate stems. \$3.00 per dozen; \$22.00 per hundred.
- MIXTURES**
- of Primulinus Hybrids**
- \*Primulinus Hybrids.** Obtained by crossing the species Primulinus with the larger varieties. They have retained all the daintiness and graceful form of their Primulinus parent, even to the "hood" formed by the drooping of the upper petal, and have an added beauty of exquisite coloring, from the softest primrose to a beautiful rose. 75 cents per dozen; \$5.00 per hundred.
- \*Primulinus Hybrids, Selected.** Comprising all of the choicest colorings, for the discriminating. \$1.00 per dozen; \$10.00 per hundred.
- Primulinus Hybrids Seedlings.** Seedlings are bulbs produced from seed, just as they are grown in the fields. All are of blooming age, and among them are some of the very choicest colors, as no selections have been made from this stock. 50 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per hundred.
- BEAUTIFUL NOVELTIES**
- Mrs. Edwin Johnson.** Large flowered type. Magnificent flowers of a luscious salmon rose, no markings, and a fine spike of perfectly formed flowers. \$10.00 per dozen; \$1.00 each.
- Rose Fawn P. II.** Salmon buff Primulinus Hybrid, delightful blooms, with orange tints over the buff. \$5.00 per dozen; 50 cents each.
- Bittersweet P. II.** Delicate blooms, carrying the colors of the fall bittersweet berries, and giving a glowing mass of color, in vase or basket. \$5.00 per dozen; 50 cents each.
- Rose Gold P. II.** Deep orange tints over buff at base of petals, heavily suffused rose. \$5.00 per dozen; 50 cents each.
- Orient Beauty.** Brilliant Nopal red, pointed petaled flowers of great charm. \$5.00 per dozen. 50 cents each.



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# Special Offers

## GIFT BOX

The Gift Box contains a selection of choice large-flowered varieties for the purpose of creating an increasing admiration and appreciation of the most beautiful garden flower — the Gladiolus.



The selection gives a pleasing assortment of colors especially adapted to the amateur's garden and makes a most attractive gift for your suburban friends—a lasting remembrance, as it gives pleasure all through the blooming season. With each box are sent full cultural directions and your card if so desired.

12 bulbs, 50 cents; 25 bulbs, \$1.00.

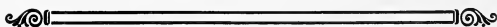
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## GIFT BOX

# Primulinus Hybrids

The New Orchid Gladioli

25 Bulbs Express Prepaid, \$1.00.



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## GLADIOLI and DAHLIAS

We are making offers in this folder, for immediate acceptance, but the bulbs will be shipped when desired. Our crop of bulbs this year was the finest we have ever harvested and owing to the surplus in some varieties, we are giving you the advantage of extremely low prices, quality considered.

If you do not find all the varieties you want listed in this pre-catalogue folder, write us, for we have large stocks of all varieties, and, if interested, we shall be glad to send you our complete catalogue, in which all varieties are described, as well as Dahlias, and seeds of annuals which are grown at Cedar Acres among the Gladioli.

The Catalogue is free on request and we are glad to send it to your friends.

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## B. HAMMOND TRACY

### Specialist

### DAHLIAS

#### Special Offers

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|--|--------|
| 1. Six splendid Dahlias, our selection . . .   | \$0.75 |
| 2. Twelve Dahlias—Show, Cactus, Decorative, 12 varieties . . . . .   | 1.00   |
| 3. Six Pompons, 6 colors . . . . .   | .75    |
| 4. Six Singles—Beautiful long stemmed flowers . . . . .  | 1.00   |
| 5. Four Dahlias of exceptional value:—<br>Masterpiece, rich deep buff, Ruth Gladell, cream, lavender tips, John Green, red and gold, Island Queen, lavender. One each of the above . . | 2.00   |
| 6. Six Peony and Decorative Seedlings . .  | 4.00   |

